

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Wolf Bertling	Art Unit :	1641
Serial No. :	10/049,574	Examiner :	Gary W. Counts
Filed :	July 16, 2002	Conf. No. :	7496
Title :	METHOD FOR INDIRECTLY DETERMINING THE BLOOD-CLOTTING STATUS		

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the Final Office Action dated January 25, 2007, be extended for three months to and including July 25, 2007.

Please apply the required fee of \$510 and any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

/July 23, 2007/

/M. Angela Parsons/

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